

Colombo Police Arrest Former Cabinet Member

Colombo, Ceylon — (UPI) — Police today arrested an ousted woman cabinet minister and the businessman brother of another minister for complicity in the Sept. 25 assassination of Prime Minister Solomon W. R. D. Bandaranaike.

The woman was Mrs. Vimala Wijewardene, 51, a glamorous grandmother who was fired as minister of health Oct. 20 because of her association with the suspected murderers. The man was Richard de Zoysa, elder brother of Finance Minister Stanley de Zoysa.

Buddhist Monk Somarama Thero, one of the two monks arrested for the slaying, told police Richard de Zoysa supervised his target practice before he shot and killed Bandaranaike on the steps of the Premier's home in a plot that has reached high into Ceylon's government.

May Fire Minister

It was considered almost certain Prime Minister Wijayanada Dahanayake now would fire the finance minister and his younger brother, Sydney de Zoysa, deputy inspector general of police. Both have been accused of hampering the assassination investigation.

Finance Minister De Zoysa was in Singapore today, en route home from a Commonwealth meeting in Australia and the Colombo Plan Conference in Indonesia. He is expected in Ceylon on Saturday.

The arrest of Mrs. Wijewardene, one of Ceylon's most colorful and controversial political figures, and De Zoysa, followed Somarama's confession to the chief magistrate on Saturday.

The Bandaranaike assassination already has brought the new government a series of crises. On Oct. 30 Dahanayake barely weathered a no-confidence motion brought by opposition parties who complained that members of the government had been associated with conspirators and suspects.

Nearly everybody reads a newspaper nearly every day. It follows that practically every sale of every product manufactured in the U.S. and Canada will be made to a newspaper reader in these countries.

Crown Attorney Says No Inquest Planned In Fatal Accident

Flint, Mich. — (UPI) — A Canadian crown attorney said today "I don't think" there will be an inquest into the fatal shooting of a retired General Motors vice president by former GM President Harlow H. Curtice in a duck hunting accident.

S.A.K. Logan, crown attorney for Lambton county, Ontario, said at Sarnia that there appeared to be no doubt the shooting was an accident and that he didn't believe an inquest would be necessary.

But he said he planned to consult with provincial police later today before making a final decision.

Curtice, meanwhile, remained secluded at his home here, grieving quietly but deeply over the death of "my very dear friend."

Former GM Vice President Harry W. Anderson was

struck by the charge from Curtice's gun Wednesday when he stood up in a duck blind and stumbled just as Curtice pulled the trigger.

The blast tore away the upper right portion of Anderson's head.

He lost consciousness immediately and died about an hour later while Curtice and other hunting companions carried him toward help on the Canadian mainland.

Curtice, Anderson, George Kennedy and Arthur Brown, a Detroit manufacturer's representative, had been hunting together at an exclusive 7,000 acre preserve owned by Kennedy's Kelsey-Hayes Wheel Co. of Detroit, on St. Anne island. The island is at the juncture of the St. Clair river and Lake St. Clair which form the international boundary between Michigan and Ontario.

It took the party about an hour to get from the duck blind to the hunting lodge by truck and boat, a distance of about four miles.

Consoling Widow

When they arrived on the Canadian mainland with Anderson's body, Curtice talked to Canadian provincial police for about an hour and then rushed to the American side of the international waters and drove to Anderson's home at Ann Arbor, Mich., about 90 miles away.

"I am deeply grieved," Curtice said on arriving at the Anderson home to console the widow of his friend. "Harry Anderson was my very dear friend for many years."

He then went inside and talked privately with Mrs. Anderson for about 20 minutes before he left for his own home at Flint, another 50 mile trip. At home, friends shielded him from reporters but promised he would meet with them today.

Curtice and his companions have hunted ducks on the opening day of the Ontario season at the same preserve every year for eight years. They were just about to quit for the day when the accident occurred.

Witnesses told the same story Curtice himself related to Ontario Constable Owen Collins who questioned him about the accident.



FATAL SHOOTING—Harlow M. Curtice, top, retired president of General Motors, accidentally shot and killed another retired GM executive, Harry W. Anderson, bottom, while duck hunting near Sarnia, Ont., Wednesday afternoon. The accident occurred near the St. Anne's hunting lodge on Walpole island in the St. Clair river. —(UPI Telephoto)

Crown Zellerbach Lists Promotion

Portland — (UPI) — Crown Zellerbach Corporation announced today the promotion of J. P. Johnston to protection forester for the Washington and Oregon timber divisions of the corporation.

Johnston has been contract logging supervisor at the firm's Clackamas Tree Farm near Molalla.

W. E. O'Dea, construction foreman of Crown Zellerbach at Brightwood, was named to succeed Johnston in the Clackamas county post.

Johnston, a former Seattle resident, joined Crown Zellerbach in 1954. Both Johnston and O'Dea are graduates of the University of Washington.

Steels Lead Stock Market Activity

New York — (UPI) — The stock market rose and fell today as hopes rose and dimmed on a steel contract settlement.

Opening firm, the list rose in the first hour, slipped back slightly on profit-taking and moved up substantially under the lead of steels. The last move reflected a new management offer for a steel settlement.

The union promptly rejected the offer and prices slipped in the third hour and eased further in the fourth.

Steel shares which had registered gains ranging to more than 2 points declined to losses running to that amount. Some of the rails slipped off despite a sharp rise in car loadings. Motors, too, turned down with American off more than a point. Du Pont dropped nearly 4 points from its high and was 2 points net lower near closing time.

DOW - JONES AVERAGES

New York — (UPI) — Dow-Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 643.32 up 1.33; 20 railroads 149.34 off 0.07; 15 utilities 86.22 off 0.06; 65 stocks 210.19 up 0.22. Sales today were about 3,230,000 shares compared with 3,660,000 shares Wednesday.

General Motors	81	Standard N. J.	46 1/2
Georgia Pacific	49 1/2	Sun Mines	6 1/2
Graham Paige	2 1/2	Texas Co.	70 1/2
Greystone	20 1/2	Texas Gulf Sulphur	17 1/2
Gulf Oil	106 1/2	Tex Pac Land Trust	19 1/2
Homesite Mining	42 1/2	Transamerica	20 1/2
Idaho Power	47 1/2	Trans World Air	19 1/2
L.B.M.	408 1/2	Tri-Continental	37 1/2
Int. Paper	133	Union Carbide	138 1/2
Johns Man	50 1/2	Union Pacific	35 1/2
Kennecott Copper	92 1/2	United Aircraft	37 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	30 1/2	U. S. Steel	98 1/2
Katy	5 1/2	Youngtown S & T	12 1/2
Montana Power Co.	23 1/2	Kaiser Ind.	15 1/2
Montgomery Ward	51		
Natl. Biscuit	53		
New York Central	28		
Pac Gas & Electric	62		
Penn. RR	18		
Penney, J. C.	115 1/2		
Radio Corporation	65		
Richfield Oil	73 1/2		
Safeway	35 1/2		
Sears	50 1/2		
Shell Oil	73 1/2		
Society Mobil Oil	49 1/2		
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